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FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3933

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TAGS: CDES, IS: (ROSENBLUM, PERRY)

SUBJECT: DISPOSITION OF REMAINS: PERRY ROSENBLUM

TO: MRS. MARTHA ROSENBLUM
171-04 73RD AVENUE
FLUSHING, N.Y.
TEL: (212) 969-2345

1. IT IS WITH PROFOUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM
YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR SON, PERRY ROSENBLUM.
RON SAMUEL, A FRIEND OF YOUR SON, INFORMED THE
EMBASSY AT TEL AVIV ON JULY 3, 1978 OF HIS DEATH
BY NATURAL CAUSES ON JULY 2, 1978 IN HIS APARTMENT
IN ARAD, ISRAEL.

2. REGRETFULLY, I MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED
TO MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. LOCAL LAW REQUIRES
LOCAL BURIAL OR THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR SHIPMENT
WITHIN 48 HOURS AFTER DEATH. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WISH TO HAVE YOUR
SON'S REMAINS RETURNED TO THE U.S. IF SO, PREPARATION
AND AIR SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO THE U.S. WOULD COST
APPROXIMATELY \$2,500.00. NO CREMATION IS POSSIBLE IN
ISRAEL. THE COST OF LOCAL BURIAL FOR CHRISTIANS OR
MOSLEMS IS \$500.00. THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR JEWISH
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BURIAL, UNLESS THE FAMILY WISHES TO CHOOSE THE PLOT.

3. AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR DECISION, PLEASE TAKE THE
FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

A. TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO AMERICAN
EMBASSY, TEL AVIV, ISRAEL AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF THE

DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE. STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELEGRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT IF SHIPMENT DESIRED.

B. TELEGRAPH REQUIRED FUNDS SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY THROUGH DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D.C. PAYABLE TO AMERICAN EMBASSY, SCS TRUST FUND, TEL AVIV, FOR PREPARATION AND SHIPMENT OF REMAINS (GIVE NAME OF DECEASED)

C. IF YOU ARE HAVING THE REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE U.S., YOU MAY WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE THESE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

4. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT. WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY THREE DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED BY THIS OFFICE WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

5. LOCAL AUTHORITIES REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN CONNECTION WITH PREPARATION OF DEATH CERTIFICATE: MARITAL STATUS AND RELIGION.

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6. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION OF THIS POST BY CALLING 03-54338, EXT 224 OR 235 IN TEL AVIV.

7. BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.
LEWIS
AMERICAN EMBASSY TEL AVIV, ISRAEL

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